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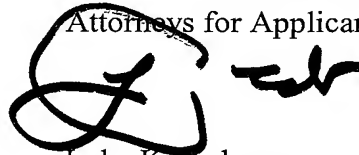
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Accordingly, **Applicant hereby requests confirmation of consideration of the references on the previously filed Information Disclosure Statement.** Examiner Miranda Le is requested to initial the references listed on the PTO-1449 form to show that they were appropriately considered during examination of this Application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment, or to charge any additional fee required by this paper, to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

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